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	West Bengal	
91.	Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Educational and Research Institute, Belur Math, Howrah	5.1.2005
92.	National Institute of Technology, Durgapur,West Bengal New Delhi	3.7.2003
93.	Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi	1958
94.	Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi	10.5.1989
95.	School of Planning & Architecture, New Delhi	1979
96.	Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Delhi New Delhi	16.11.1987
97.	National Museum, Institute of the History of Art, Conservation and Museology, New Delhi	28.4.1989
98.	TERI School of Advanced Study, New Delhi	5.10.1999
99.	Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi	7.5.2002
100.	Indian Institute of Foreign Trade, New Delhi	20.5.2002
101.	Indian Law Institute, New Delhi	26.10.2004
102.	National School of Drama, New Delhi	11.3.2005

Scrapping the National Eligibility Test

3852. SHRI LALIT SURI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a committee headed by Planning Commission member, B. Mungekar has recommended scrapping the National Eligibility Test (NET) which is presently mandatory for appointment of teachers in colleges and universities;

(b) if so, whether the recommendation has been accepted; if so, from which date;

(c) the number of NET scholars not so far appointed and whether they would be absorbed against future vacancies; and

(d) the number of posts of college and university teachers proposed to be filled up during 2006-07 and the number out of them reserved for various categories?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI): (a) and (b) The Mungekar Committee has given its interim report and the recommendations are as follows:

(i) So far as the postgraduate level teaching is concerned, the candidates having Ph.D. degree should be exempted from acquiring NET qualifications for being considered for the post of lecturers.

(ii) As regards the undergraduate level teaching, the candidates having M. Phil, or Ph.D. degree should be exempted from acquiring NET qualifications for being considered for the post of lecturers.

According to the information furnished by the University Grants Commission (UGC), the above recommendation has been accepted in principle by the University Grants Commission in its meeting held in 7-4-06.

(c) and (d) According to the information furnished by the University Grants Commission (UGC), no such central database is maintained by it.

Serving hot-cooked meal to children

3853. MISS. MABEL REBELLO: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that under the mid-day meal scheme, children are to be served hot-cooked meal;

(b) if so, the number of tribal districts of Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh where it is being done;

(c) if not, what is being done actually; and

(d) by when the hot-cooked meal will be served to children under the scheme in the tribal districts of Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b)As per the information furnished by Governments of Chhattisgarh